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LOK SABHA

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RESEARCH PROJECT TO INCREASE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to implement any new research project for increasing agricultural productivity under the Tenth Five Year Plan;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the funds allocated for the projects, State-wise; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b): The Department has proposed to the Planning Commission, research projects on emerging areas viz.

i. Impact of climate change in Agriculture
ii. Network Project on Organic Farming
iii. Network Project on Transgenics
iv. Institute for Veterinary Type Culture
v. Network on Bio-systematics of Insects
vi. National Research Centre for Agricultural Extension

The funds will be allocated after receiving the approval from the Planning Commission. Further, the DARE/ICAR do not allocate funds State-wise.

(c) Does not arise.